

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

BOYD et al.

Application No: 09/678,423

Filed: October 2, 2000

For: WEB-STYLE CONDITIONING SYSTEM AND
METHODS FOR IMPLEMENTING THE SAME

Attorney Docket No: LAM2P206

Examiner: H. Shakeri

Group Art Unit: 3723

Date: May 14, 2004

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified Application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

| | Claims Remaining After Amendment | | Highest Previously Paid For | Present Extra | SMALL ENTITY RATE FEE | OR | LARGE ENTITY RATE FEE |
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| TOTAL CLAIMS | 06 | - | 20 | 00 | X09 = \$ | OR | X18 = \$ |
| INDEP CLAIMS | 03 | - | 07 | 00 | X43 = \$ | OR | X86 = \$ |

[] Multiple Dependent Claim Present
and Fee Not Previously Paid

\$145

\$290

TOTAL

\$ _____

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- ☒ Applicant(s) hereby petition for a one month(s) extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action.
- ☐ Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 50-0805.
- ☒ Enclosed is our Check No. 11039 in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the additional claim fee and extension of time fee.
- ☒ If the required fees are missing or any additional fees are required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, please charge such fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0805 (Order No. LAM2P206). A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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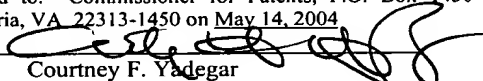
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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Final Office Action mailed on January 14, 2004 and the Advisory Action mailed on April 6, 2004. The period of response extends to May 14, 2004, with a one-month extension of time. Please enter the following amendments and remarks in the above-identified patent application:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

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